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Island Brooks

Defeat Westport

The Island Brooks went to Westport yesterday and defeated the strong team of that town by the score of 6 to 3. The features of the game being the pitching of Slocum and the fielding of the Island Brooks. The score:

	ab.	r.	lb.	po.	a.	e.
Miller, cf.	5	1	1	1	0	0
Mydock, c.	5	0	0	9	2	0
Voos, lb.	5	2	2	11	2	0
McNally, ss.	3	1	1	5	0	0
Slattery, 3b.	5	0	2	3	3	0
Radel, 2b.	5	0	1	2	1	0
Murphy, rf.	5	0	2	0	0	0
Clark, lf.	5	0	0	0	0	0
Slocum, p.	4	0	2	0	2	0
Totals	41	5	13	27	13	0

	ab.	r.	lb.	po.	a.	e.
Mull, 3b.	4	0	2	3	1	0
St. John, 2b.	4	1	1	1	0	1
Sniffen, ss.	4	0	0	1	2	0
B. Downs, c.	4	1	1	5	0	0
Caponi, rf.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Connors, lf.	4	0	0	2	0	0
D. Downs, cf.	4	1	0	1	0	0
Dolan, p.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Fanning, 3b.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	3	4	27	5	2

Summary:—The base hit, Slattery. Two base hits, McNally 2, Voos, Slattery. Sacrifice hit, St. John, D. Downs. Base on ball, Slocum 1, Dolan 3. Struck out, Slocum 8, Dolan 11. Hit by pitcher, Radel.

TWO NEGROES TRIED BY PICKED JURY SHOT TO DEATH

(Special from United Press.)
Vile Platte, Louisiana, Aug. 2.—Following a number of daring burglaries and the intimidation of many housewives during their husbands' absence, two negroes, Ed Jackson and Will Miller, against whom there is said to have been conclusive evidence, were taken out in the woods today by a mob of armed men and after a "jury" of twelve had been selected to try and execute them, they were shot to death. The victims of the "jury" had been discovered in the woods where they had escaped. They had concealed their plunder. No arrests have been made.

Weather Indications

(Special from United Press.)
New Haven, Aug. 2.—Forecast: Fair tonight; Tuesday partly cloudy.
An area of high pressure central over northern New England is producing cool, pleasant weather in the northern sections east of the Mississippi river. A secondary disturbance on the Middle Atlantic coast is producing quite heavy rain in Virginia. The temperature is high between the Rocky Mountains and the Mississippi river.
Conditions favor for this vicinity pleasant weather followed on Tuesday by increasing cloudiness and slowly rising temperature.

BAN ON CIGARETTES THROUGH MINNESOTA

Minneapolis, Aug. 2.—The new State law prohibiting the sale of paper cigarettes went into effect at midnight. From now on it will be illegal to put them on the market.

Early last evening there was a shortage in popular brands at some cigar stores and clerks sent prices up higher than ordinarily charged at retail. Reports came in from other parts of the city that a fresh supply had arrived which caused a rush to those stores, which caused values to decline again. Many stores, however, prices were kept at top notch, as it was thought that there would be little difficulty in getting rid of the stocks. Shortly after 10 o'clock five cent packages sold at eight for a quarter, 10 cent boxes at four for a quarter, 15 cent boxes at three for a quarter and 25 cent cigarettes at two for 25 cents. These prices remained stationary until midnight. More than a million cigarettes were sold in Minneapolis Saturday.

NEWTOWN.

Congregational Notes.—The sermon preached by Rev. Alexander Steele, Sunday morning was taken from "Trinity 2d"—the subject being "Endurance." There will be a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Men's Federation, Thursday evening after Prayer meeting. The Christian Endeavor services was omitted Sunday evening on account of the Celebration of the Golden Jubilee at St. Rose's church.

Trinity Church.—Rev. J. H. George preached from Act 5 and 15, subject "Unconscious Influence." The annual Sale of Trinity Guild will be held in the Parish Rooms Wednesday beginning at 4 p. m. Articles to be donated for this sale must be handed in at the rectory by Monday evening. Friday the Feast of the Transfiguration of Christ. Holy Communion will be administered to the sick in private.

Miss Edna Kibbide of Jersey City is the guest of Misses May and Helen Houlahan.
Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Horan of Bridgeport were Sunday guests of friends in town.
Mrs. M. F. Gaffney entertained Mrs. John Brown of Bridgeport, Sunday. Guests at Mrs. P. Callahan at Sandy Hook are Mrs. J. R. Klerman, Miss Margaret Boyce, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reenan, Jas. Lowrette, Grace, Ink, Paint and Dirt. For more names, see Mrs. Mooney, Margaret, Mary and Elizabeth Mooney, Brooklyn. Howard Owens, Bridgeport.

The ball game played between the Walnut Tree Hill team and the Men's Federation, Saturday, resulted in favor of Newtown. The score was 10-1. Guests at Mrs. P. Callahan at Sandy Hook are Mrs. J. R. Klerman, Miss Margaret Boyce, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reenan, Jas. Lowrette, Grace, Ink, Paint and Dirt. For more names, see Mrs. Mooney, Margaret, Mary and Elizabeth Mooney, Brooklyn. Howard Owens, Bridgeport.

WHY NOT?

Watch Out Girls and the Unexpected May Really Happen.

An acceptable innovation in the matter of souvenirs was the presentation of diminutive candles to patrons at the stage reception following the production of "The House of a Thousand Candles" by the Poli Stock company Saturday afternoon. By the law of analogy, the press critic assumes that a choice assortment of lovers will be distributed as a complimentary to "Lover's Lane" when the piece terminates the malinee run of the current week.

Unfortunately, it has been impossible to locate the manager for an interview and the surmise is as yet unsubstantiated. The hope is expressed however, that in the event of the contingency anticipated, the selection will not be made from the miniature ranks.

Dobbin's Journey.
The family horse, who rejoiced in the eminently proper equine name of Dobbin, had earned a rest by long service and was accordingly sent away to the country to spend his declining years in the broad pastures of a farmer friend of his owner. The distance being so great, what excessive for his rheumatic legs, he was shipped to his new home by rail.

Little Edna, the family four-year-old, viewed the passing of Dobbin with unfeigned sorrow. She sat for a long time gazing disconsolately out of the window. At last, after a deep sigh, she turned with a more cheerful expression and said:

"Did old Dobbin go on the choo-choo cars, mamma?"

"Yes, dear," answered her mother. "A broad grin spread over the little girl's face. 'I was just thinking,' she said, 'how funny he must feel sitting up on the plush cushions.'—Woman's Home Companion.

No Business Good Business.

"Yes," said the quiet man, "business has been good with me this week—or bad—I don't know which you would call it. I have been busier than the company likes to have me."

"What do you mean by that? Is there an employer who does not like to have his employees work? Could I get a job there? It seems to me that such a position would suit my temperament exactly."

"The company doesn't care to have anything doing in my department." It would be glad to pay me my salary and never have me do a stroke of work."

"What an ideal job! What kind of a place is it?"

"I am an adjuster of death claims for a life insurance company."—New York Press.

Amateur Weather Prophets.
"The old weather prophets there are left now," remarked a Cleveland lawyer who was raised in the country, "are professionals. The good old fashioned amateur weather prophets that could tell you what the next day would be like just by sniffing the atmosphere and looking at the sky are no more. People are growing up to depend on the weather reports in the newspapers, and they don't develop any intuition in that direction any more. When I was a kid I used to ask my father what the next day's weather would be with just as much feeling of confidence in what he would tell me as I would have in an unabridged dictionary if I wanted to look up a word. And, as a rule, I wasn't disappointed."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Queen's Critical Brother.
Marie Antoinette's brother Joseph could not bear the rouge pot, and one evening when the queen was going out, being heavily rouged, the emperor was looking on. Pointing to a lady present who was excessively bedaubed with paint, Joseph remarked facetiously: "A little more under the eyes! Lay on the rouge like fury, as that lady does!"—Hassard's "Louis XVI."

Practice.
New Clerk—I should like two weeks' vacation, sir. Boss—What! Why, this is only your first week with us. New Clerk—Yes, sir, but once I get accustomed to the position I may be able to stand it longer.

Misunderstanding.
Nell—I hear their engagement was broken off through a misunderstanding. Belle—Yes; he understood she had money, and she understood he had.

Sensible men show their sense by saying much in few words.—Franklin.

THE THEATRES

POLI'S

One of the early successes of that master playwright, Clyde Fitch, is "Lover's Lane." It is a quaint play, has quaint people in its very large cast, and tells a story of great heart interest. It will be given at Poli's all the week and it is not too much to assert that it will be put on in that exquisite manner so prevalent at all the performances by the All Star Stock Company at the Bridgeport theatre. And what is better, there is no real special "star" part. Every role stands out and is in itself of sufficient importance to demand interpretation by artists. It will be sure to fill the theatre at every performance, and one seeing all will not be disappointed. In "Lover's Lane" Miss Patty Allison, that dear little lady that has, during this her first season in this city made a legion of friends, all of whom will be sure to be out in force to welcome her as "Simplicity Johnson," a role she herself created. Mr. Ince is very happily forced to play the star part, and every player a star. A great performance is promised, and the readers have come to regard Poli's promises as the whole truth.

JACKSON'S

PRIMROSE MINSTRELS.
Lovers of minstrelsy in a high class form will be welcome to the new minstrel company, to Jackson's theatre, formerly Smith's, for one performance. The evening of the ever popular Primrose promises this year the most humorous and best minstrel festival ever pulled off on the American stage. Fifty of the best known names in minstrelsy are on the roster, including a full bill of novel features, the entire production being staged by George Primrose, who has been the originator and producer of every novel effect brought out in minstrelsy in the past twenty years. Music is said to be one of the special features with Primrose this year. The vocal department has received the most careful attention by the management and will be made up of two first tenors, two second tenors, two baritones and two basses, each of whom has had a musical training here and abroad. They will be assisted by a trained chorus of twelve voices, making in all eighteen voices who will render all the latest ballads. They will be accompanied by an orchestra of twenty picked musicians. The advance sale of seats has been very gratifying and indicates that a capacity audience will be present to welcome this popular comedian and his fellow players.

"BILLY THE KID."
"Billy, the Kid," the popular melodrama, is one of the best examples of its kind of this season's production. The play has for its locale that portion of the great Southwest which lies near the Mexican frontier. It tells a story of absorbing interest and is filled with situations, both highly dramatic and of that intensity demanded by the lovers of this class of performance. The central figure is that of a young man, forced to outlive by his own father, yet there is an exceptionally well defined love interest and plenty of good comedy situations. The play will come to Jackson's theatre the first three days of next week with the usual daily matinees.

Miss Montgomery

Will Do Vaudeville
New Star Will Remain at Poli's, However, Until the Close of the Season.

Miss Mabel Montgomery, whose introductory appearance with the Poli Stock Company was made as Marion Devereaux in "The House of a Thousand Candles," will continue as a leading woman during the remainder of the current season.

Although new to Bridgeport theatre patrons, Miss Montgomery, who is a native of Brooklyn, has a number of relatives and friends in this city, and to the enrollment of the latter she is making daily augmentations. Miss Montgomery comes to this city with an established reputation, being well and favorably known as a star interpreter in various stock companies which have played in New York, Chicago, St. Louis, Memphis and other towns of importance. Her most gratifying performances have been during a year's engagement at Proctor's Fifth Avenue theatre, two trips in Belasco's "Zaza," one in "Zaza" and a metropolitan run as "Sapho."

Among the classic presentations which have contributed to Miss Montgomery's success are the roles of Juliet, Rosalind, Magda, Camille and Du Barry; her experience includes also leading parts in "Mrs. Dane's Defence," "Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall," "Jane" and "When Knighthood Was in Fashion."

Miss Montgomery is eagerly anticipating a respite from the arduous requirements of stock intricacies prior to her engagement for the approaching season, which opens September 20. This date marks the leading woman's departure from the legitimate into a vaudeville career. As headline in the sketch "Chums," she will tour the Coast circuit, starting at Chicago and making fortnight stands in San Francisco, Oakland, Los Angeles and other western cities.

Subsequently to her final appearance in local circles, Miss Montgomery will enjoy an interval preceding her engagement term at her recently completed villa on the shore front in Long Island.

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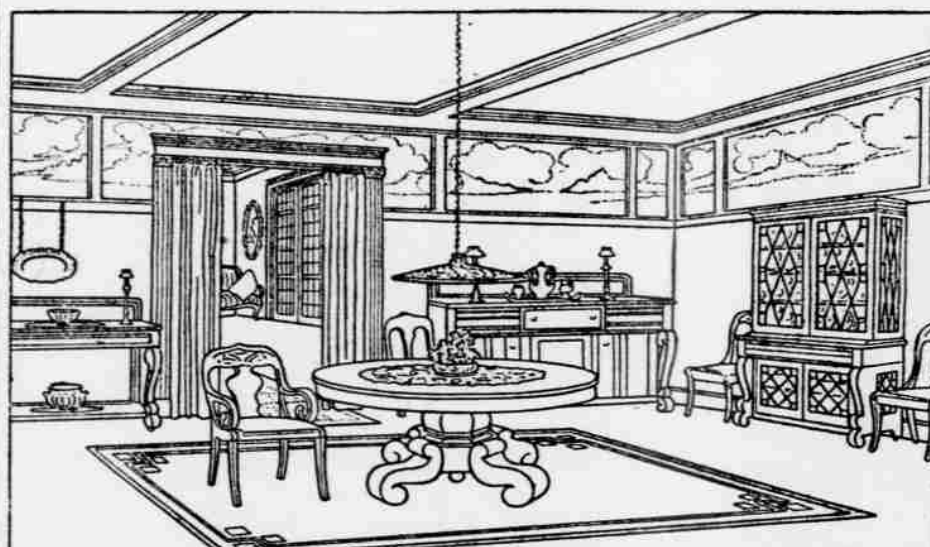
(Special from United Press.)
Ansonia, Aug. 2.—A feeling of relief prevails among the state Socialists today over the fact that Samuel E. Beardsley, their state secretary and treasurer, stands acquitted of the charges of alleged graft and misappropriation of funds, brought by William E. White of New Haven, former candidate for Lieutenant Governor on the Socialist ticket. Beardsley was tried before a jury of five and

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